MYLI

Mayor's Youth Leadership Institute

First-Year Participant Application

Celebrating 35 years of Youth Development!

Applicants for the Mayor's Youth Leadership Institute (MYLI) must: be residents of the District of Columbia; 14 to 17 years of age; and, apply to Mayor Vincent C. Gray's One City Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP). To apply to SYEP, please go to summerjobs.dc.gov. For information about MYLI, please call (202) 698-3492.

PERSONAL INFORMATION (Please print or type.)

Name _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Home Address _____ Apt. #
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(City) (State) (Zip Code)
_____ Ward _____

Social Security Number _____ Email Address _____

Birth Date _____ Age _____ Gender _____ (Male) _____ (Female)

Telephone No. ( ) _____ ( ) _____
(Home) (Cell)

Parent/Guardian's Name _____ Relationship _____

Telephone No. ( ) _____ ( ) _____
(Home) (Cell)

Address _____
_____
(City) (State) (Zip Code)

Name of School _____ Grade _____

In case of emergency, whom should we contact?

Name _____ Relationship _____

Address _____ Telephone No. ( ) _____
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(City) (State) (Zip Code)

How did you learn about the Institute? _____
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WORK EXPERIENCE/VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

List work experience(s) (include dates of employment, volunteer, and community service).

TALENTS AND INTERESTS

List your extracurricular activities, hobbies, and interests.

HONORS AND AWARDS

List your honors and awards.

POST-SECONDARY PLANS

Please tell us your plans upon graduation. Check all fields that apply.

Two-Year College _____ Vocational /Trade Training _____ Full-Time Employment _____

Four-Year College _____ Military _____ Not Sure _____

FUTURE CAREER INTERESTS

Please check all fields of interest that apply.

Business _____ Science _____ Hospitality _____

Entertainment and Media _____ Government _____ Education _____

Technology _____ Other _____

RECOMMENDATION FORM

This recommendation must be completed by a community leader, teacher, employer, adult mentor, or leader from the faith-based community. The individual cannot be a family member or a personal friend. This recommendation can also be completed online at http://bit.ly/MYLIRecForm.

Applicant's Name _____

Please rank the applicant on a scale of 1 to 10, with 10 being the highest, in the following categories:

Attitude	____	Creativity	____	Academics	____
Personality	____	Discipline	____	Listening Skills	____
Initiative	____	Leadership	____	Punctuality	____
Friendliness	____	Communication Skills	____	Work Habits	____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

What is your relationship to the applicant?_____

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Why are you recommending the applicant for MYLI? _____

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Signature_____ Date _____

Your Name _____ Telephone Number_____

(Please Print)

Affiliation/Organization _____

All recommendations are due no later than Friday, April 11, 2014.

PERSONAL STATEMENTS Please note that there are no right or wrong responses, so feel free to answer openly and honestly. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

What are your reasons for applying to the Institute?_____

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Imagine you are the Mayor. What two actions would you take to make the District of Columbia a better place to live?

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What do you think is the most important characteristic of a good leader? _____

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1. Have you previously applied to the Institute ? Yes_____ No_____

2. Did you participate in the 2013 Summer Youth Employment Program? Yes _____ No_____

3. Please check your T-shirt size (one size only)

Medium____ Large____ X-Large____ XX-Large____ XXX-Large___

_____ _____ _____

Applicant's Signature Parent / Guardian's Signature Date

NOTE: To be considered an applicant for MYLI, youth must apply to Mayor Vincent C. Gray's One City Summer Youth Employment Program. To apply, please go to summerjobs.dc.gov. For additional information about SYEP, please call (202) 698-3492.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF THIS APPLICATION IS FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 2014.

This completed application must be received in the Office of Youth Programs by the deadline date. The Office of Youth Programs is located at 4058 Minnesota Avenue, NE, Washington, DC 20019.